

IN THE SPECIFICATION

At page 1, please amend paragraph [001] as follows:

[001] This application is a National Phase Application of International Application No. PCT/US2003/012054, filed April 18, 2003, which claims the benefit of South Korean Patent Application entitled “Bi-directional wavelength-division-multiplexing passive optical network utilizing wavelength-locked light sources by injected incoherent light,” Serial No. 2002-60868, filed October 7, 2002. The present application claims priority from both applications.